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Subject: Shakespeare Festival St. Louis Summer 2014 performance interpretation schedule

Good afternoon,

I hope this message finds you well. I'm Audra Fuhr with Shakespeare Festival St. Louis, and I wanted to make you aware of our summer 2014 performances that are interpreted for the hard of hearing. One of our interpreters, Dan Betzler, recommended I reach out to you. Any help you can give in spreading the word about these free performances in Forest Park is greatly appreciated.

As in previous years, SFSTL is pleased to have interpreters for the hard of hearing on site during four of our performances in Shakespeare Glen, across from the St. Louis Art Museum. Please note that the schedule of our interpreters is different than in previous years. Interpretation during the run (May 17 – June 15) will take place on Wednesday and Thursday, May 24 and 25, and June 4 and 5 (these details are also available on our website).

Thank you so much for your time!

Sincerely, Audra Fuhr

## More information about our performances

Our annual free performance in Forest Park attracts over 60,000 St. Louisans each summer. There are no tickets to purchase or gates to walk through. Patrons can find their own lawn seating and bring a picnic, or rent a seat and take advantage of our onsite dining options. This year, SFSTL presents *Henry IV* and *Henry V* starring St. Louisan Jim Butz in the title roles and featuring a hometown cast. The performances run May 17 – June 15. *Henry IV* opens May 17 and 18; *Henry V* opens May 24 and 25. Beginning May 25, the shows alternate nightly except Tuesdays. Both will be performed as a double feature on Saturday, June 7 and 14. There is a nightly Green Show performance at 6:30pm, which is also interpreted on the dates listed above.

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## SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL ST.LOUIS

### CALENDAR LISTING

# Shakespeare Festival St. Louis' Production of 'Henry IV" & "Henry V" Set for May 17 - June 15 at Forest Park

ST. LOUIS (Jan. 23, 2014) -- Shakespeare Festival St. Louis will be producing three plays in two alternating main stage shows -- Henry IV, Parts 1 & 2 and Henry V -- at Shakespeare Glen in Forest Park. Opening weekends for each show are May 17 for Henry IV, and May 24 for Henry V. The shows will then rotate nightly EXCEPT TUESDAYS. Two double-feature Saturdays (June 7, 14) will allow audiences to see both shows back-to-back. This will mark the Festival's 14th season of producing free performances in an outdoor setting and the first time audiences will be invited to experience more than one of Shakespeare's works in repertory. Free nightly backstage tours and post-show Talkbacks will also be available. As in previous years, the pre-show Festival activities will include a nightly Green Show at 6:30 p.m. The pre-show will include a 20-minute adaptation of "Henry IV & V," which will introduce the characters and plot to children of all ages; musicians, dancers, singers, jugglers; and a craft table for kids. Admission is free. Open lawn seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Audience members are encouraged to bring blankets or low-back chairs. Rental chairs are available for \$10 and \$7 each. For more information, please visit <a href="www.sfstl.com">www.sfstl.com</a> or call 314/531-9800.